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RAJYA SABHA

The following Bills were introduced in the Rajya Sabha on the 20th December, 2000:—

I

BILL No. LXXX OF 2000

A Bill to repeal the U.P. Sugarcane Cess (Validation) Act, 1961.

BE it enacted by Parliament in the Fifty-first Year of the Republic of India as follows:—

1. This Act may be called the U.P. Sugarcane Cess (Validation) Repeal Act, 2000.	Short title.
2. The U. P. Sugarcane Cess (Validation) Act, 1961 is hereby repealed.	Repeal

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

By a judgment delivered on the 13th December, 1960 in the case of M/s Diamond Sugar Mills Ltd. and another *versus* State of Uttar Pradesh and another, the Supreme Court held the U.P. Sugarcane Cess Act, 1956 as *ultra vires* and beyond the competence of the State Legislature. In order to overcome the difficulties arising from the said decision, the U.P. Sugarcane Cess (Validation) Act, 1961 was enacted to validate the cess levied and collected before the 3rd February, 1961 under the U.P. Sugarcane Cess Act, 1956.

2. The Commission on Review of Administrative Laws, which was set up by the Government of India on the 8th May, 1998 to undertake, *inter alia*, an overview of steps taken by different Ministries/Departments for the review of administrative laws, regulations and procedures administered by them and to make recommendations for repeal or amendment of laws, regulations and procedures presented its report to the Government on the 30th September, 1998. In pursuance of the recommendations of the said Commission, the Central Government, after consulting the Government of Uttar Pradesh, proposes to repeal the U.P. Sugarcane Cess (Validation) Act, 1961 which has since outlived its utility.

3. The Bill seeks to achieve the above object.

SHANTA KUMAR.

II**BILL NO. LXXXI OF 2000**

A Bill further to amend the Post-Graduate Institute of Medical Education and Research, Chandigarh Act, 1966.

Be it enacted by Parliament in the Fifty-first Year of the Republic of India as follows:—

1. This Act may be called the Post-Graduate Institute of Medical Education and Research, Chandigarh (Amendment) Act, 2000.

Short title.

2. In the Post-Graduate Institute of Medical Education and Research, Chandigarh Act, 1966, in section 6, in sub-section (2), after the words “as soon as he”, the words “becomes a Minister or Minister of State or Deputy Minister, or the Speaker or the Deputy Speaker of the House of the People, or the Deputy Chairman of the Council of States, or” shall be inserted.

Amendment of
section 6 of
Act 51 of
1966.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

The Post-Graduate Institute of Medical Education and Research, Chandigarh was established as an autonomous body under the Post-Graduate Institute of Medical Education and Research Act, 1966. Section 5 of the said Act governs the composition of the Institute Body of Post-Graduate Institute of Medical Education and Research, Chandigarh. Clause (g) of section 5 of the Act provides for three Members of Parliament of whom two shall be elected from among themselves by the Members of the House of the People and one from among themselves by the Members of the Council of States. Further, sub-section (2) of section 6 provides that the term of office of a Member elected under clause (g) of section 5 shall come to an end as soon as he ceases to be a Member of the House from which he was elected. In the absence of the provision for termination of membership of the Institute Body, after a Member of Parliament had become a Minister, difficulty arose in operating the provisions of the existing Act, as such person continued to be a member on the Institute Body. Accordingly, the Government decided that in order to prevent such situations recurring in future, a clear provision should be made in all relevant Acts and the rules made thereunder to the effect that consequent upon a Member of Parliament becoming a Minister or Minister of State or Deputy Minister or Speaker, Deputy Speaker—Lok Sabha or Deputy Chairman—Rajya Sabha, his/her nomination/election on the Institute Body shall be deemed to have been terminated.

2. The Bill is to achieve the above object by amending the relevant provisions of the Act.

C. P. THAKUR.

R. C. TRIPATHI,
Secretary-General.